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MICHIGAN AFFAIRS.

Romeo is to have a new depot. The plans and specifications have been received and it will be erected soon.

Escanaba will have a new opera house, to be opened about the holidays.

A reunion of the Michigan Second Infantry Association will be held at Kalamazoo October 10.

The Bay City Tribune wants to know what inspector on the Saginaw River said about this: From August 7 to August 30 Charles Kuehn inspected and shipped from the wharves at William Peter's saw mill 1,747,863 feet of lumber, 200,000 laths and 2,500 barrels of salt.

George F. Lewis, of Saginaw, who was in Alpena recently, says that of the 200 buildings that were burned in the late great fire, there are at least 150 already being replaced and generally with better buildings than those burned. The generous people of Alpena raised \$12,000 for the sufferers in cash and contributed a large sum in clothing, provisions, etc.

The September crop report for this State, indicates a yield of 16.36 bushels of wheat per acre, or a total yield of 23,898,461 bushels, an increase of 6,000,000 bushels over the August estimate.

Mrs. Sarah Gill, wife of Alexander Gill, a well-to-do saw-mill owner at Canada, strangled her year-old boy to death when she found he had the child in her arms looking it. She gives as her reason that people were trying to take her child away from her.

The annual report of B. E. Fenow, Chief of the Forestry Division of the Department of Agriculture, says that the interest in the forestry problem is growing in every direction; that the discussions have become of a more precise and practical character. Michigan is one of the States mentioned by him as having just awakened to the conception that their forestry interests deserve attention. He gives the following review of the condition of the forestry interests in this State:

Michigan still has 14,000,000 acres of woodland, or 38.1 per cent. of the State's area. The forests of the Lower Peninsula, as much of them as remains, consist of broad-leaved trees, among which the white oaks are prominent, and but little white pine is interrupted.

Pine forests—thirty-five per cent. of the land in the state—is increasing, and where it has not yet touched it the pine occurs in pure stands, occupying sandy and gravel ridges, and the sandy plains in the Northern Peninsula, while the lower ground is occupied by hard woods like sugar maple, ash, beech, oak, and the infrequent swamps abound in tamarack.

There is evidence that Cheboygan is growing fast. Good dwelling houses are in such demand that they are readily rented before they are finished.

Eld Rapids has a handsome school building costing \$94,000. They have had many modern improvements put in the woods.

The first number of the Northern Michigan Educator, a sixteen-page monthly paper, has been issued at Gaylord.

The Teacher and Examiner, of Danville, Ind., in its issue for August publishes a portrait and biographical sketch of President James B. Angell, of the University of Michigan.

The next reunion of the ex-prisoners of war will be held at Ovid November 22 and 23.

The shipments of lumber and iron from Elk Rapids are very large this season.

One hundred tents will be provided for the soldiers' and sailors' reunion at Newaygo September 25, 26 and 27.

Rattingales are very thick in the vicinity of Manchester and many of them have been killed recently.

Vacation is over for the Ypsilanti clergy and now the regular services have been resumed in all the churches.

The proceedings of the Michigan Press Association at Detroit have been published in pamphlet form by Secretary E. J. Kelly, of the Pontiac Bill Poster. It is a well gotten up and very satisfactory report.

The Cheboygan Democrat says that fruit trees throughout the county are hanging full of fruit, and that in many places the branches have to be propped up to keep them from breaking down under the weight.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haeser celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage at School Hall, Lake Linden. This is the first golden wedding ever celebrated in Lake Linden, and the second in Houghton County.

The Cheboygan River Boom Company have completed the sorting of all the logs that have been brought within the limits of the Boom Company's operations. There recently came down about 7,000,000 feet from the Upper Black River and 12,000,000 or 13,000,000 feet out of the Pigeon River. Lack of water made it slow work getting the logs run on these streams.

Mrs. Marvin Myers, wife of Supervisor Myers, died at Jackson very suddenly.

Mrs. Otto McClellan, of Kalamazoo, while crossing a railroad bridge, was run down by a train and both her legs cut off, death resulting in two hours.

Two thousand people attended the soldiers and sailors of Antrim County reunion at Mancelona.

The boarding-house of the Mackinaw Lumber Company has been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$3,000 to \$4,000, covered by insurance. Two persons were hurt by falling timbers.

William Johnson, aged 70 years, a resident of the south end of Bay City, died from an overdose of morphine. He had been drinking quite freely of late, and it was his practice when on a spree to use the drug. The Coroner's jury found that he had taken an overdose accidentally.

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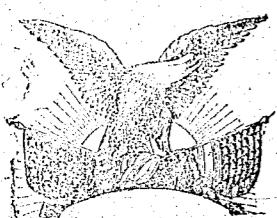
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FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
LEVI P. MORTON,
OF NEW YORK.

ELECTORS AT LARGE—RUSSELL A. ALGER, of Wayne and ISAAC CAPON, of Kent District.
I. EDWARD BURK, of Wayne.
II. JAMES B. CHAPMAN, of Muskegon.
III. RICHMOND KINGMAN, of Calumet.
IV. JOSEPH V. FRENCH, of St. Joseph.
V. JAMES L. GALT, of Saginaw.
VI. JAMES M. TURNER, of Indiana.
VII. WILLIAM T. WOODWARD, of Saginaw.
VIII. ELLIOT D. WOODWARD, of Saginaw.
IX. WELLINGTON W. SUMNER, of Westland.
X. HARRY V. MERRILL, of Bay.
XI. PERRY HANNAH, of Grand Traverse.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

X-O-X
For Governor,
CYRUS G. LUCE,
of Gilead.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JAMES H. MACDONALD,
of Escanaba.

For Secretary of State,
GILBERT R. OSMUN,
of Detroit.

For State Treasurer,
GEORGE L. MALTZ,
of Alpena.

For Auditor General,
HENRY H. ALBIN,
of West Bay City.

For Commissioner of Land Office,
ROSCOE D. DIX,
of Berrien Springs.

For Attorney General,
STEPHEN V. R. TROWBRIDGE,
of Jonia.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
JOSEPH ESTABROOK,
of Olivet.

For Member of the State Board of Education,
PERRY POWERS,
of Cadillac.

Grayling Republican Caucus.

There will be a Republican Convention held at the Town Hall on Thursday evening, Sept. 13, 1888, to elect delegates to the County Convention to be held Sept. 18th, '88.
F. L. HADLEY,
C. T. P. COM.

Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of Crawford county will meet in convention, Tuesday September 18th, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of nominating county officers to be supported at the ensuing election and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. The several townships will be represented by delegates as follows: Ball 1; Beaver Creek 3; Blaine 2; Center Plains 3; Frederic 4; Grayling 11; Grove 3; Maple Forest 2; and South Branch 2.

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Tenth Congressional District Republican Convention.

The republican convention for the Tenth Congressional District of Michigan to nominate a candidate for congress, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention, will be held at the Washington Avenue rink, in Bay City, on Wednesday the 19th day of September, 1888, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The several counties will be entitled to one delegate for each 500 of the total vote cast for governor at the last election (November 1886); and one additional delegate for every fraction amounting to 300. But each organized county will be entitled to at least one delegate.

E. A. COOLEY, Bay City,
Chairman,
D. J. J. MARVIN, Tuscola,
B. F. SMITH, Iosco,
D. A. MARSHALL, Bay,
J. D. HOLMES, Alpena.
Congressional Committee

Bay City, Mich., Aug. 30, 1888.

Rev. Washington Gardner, of Albion, who is a member of the Michigan Methodist Conference and also department commander of the Michigan G. A. R., has been transferred to Ohio, and will hereafter preach in a Cincinnati church.—*Detroit Journal*.

Ed. Gould, of Indianapolis, who has been circulating the story about Gen. Harrison saying during the strike of 1877 that \$1 a day was good enough for workingmen, has been proved to have said that he made up the yarn for campaign purposes.—*Det. News*.

Minnesota finds high license a practical method of reducing the saloons and keeping in bonds those who continue in business. The liquor dealers themselves are beginning to favor high license and strict enforcement of the laws, thus suppressing the "moonshine" element that is disinclined to pay tax or close up in accordance with the statutes.

The expenditures of this administration have been \$95,000,000 more than those of its predecessors. Money seems to have vanished out of everything and everybody except the veterans.—*National Tribune*.

Cleveland, when Governor of New York vetoed a bill passed by the legislature, making it a penal offense to randomly wear a Grand Army badge. It was an effort to keep some of his friends out of disgrace and to relieve him of the trouble of pardoning them.—*Blade*.

The republicans in New York are in solid phalanx for the first time in four years. There are no more stalwarts and half-breeds, but all are protectionist republicans. The Empire State will roll up a tremendous majority for HARRISON and MORTON this fall.—*Blade*.

The extraordinary dimensions of the Republican victory in Vermont may be judged from the facts that the plurality for Blaine in the presidential election, four years ago, was only 22,183, while the republican plurality now is about 27,000. How near a clean sweep this is may be judged from the fact that the total vote in Vermont is less than \$6,000.—*State Republican*.

The editor of a democratic sheet not a thousand miles from here, which was formerly republican, wrote secretary Tillman of the State Central Committee that he had changed for pecuniary reasons, and he could change back for the same consideration. He was informed that he was not wanted at any price.

History records the coolness of Napoleon at Arcola; Caesar at the Rubicon; Grant at the Wilderness and John Rogers at the state, but the historian of today tells in burning words how a presidential candidate in the U. S. who bravely and gallantly hung 2 men with his own hands, rather than allow some one else, an unknown, to receive the \$250,000 which was allowed by law in the State of New York for this low and disgraceful service.—*N. Y. Sun*, (Dem.)

The Democrat in behalf of its party claims that it is not and never was opposed to equal rights and a fair count; Henry Watterson, editor of the *Courier Journal*, the leading democratic paper in the South, in an article, which he wrote for the *Forum*, says:

"I should be entitled to no respect or credit if I pretended that there is either a fair poll or count of the vast overflow of black voters in States where there is a negro majority, or that, in the nature of things present, there can be."

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The extraordinary republican gains in the Vermont State election last week is attracting the attention of the whole country. The result of the election is certainly an eye opener for the free traders. The State senate is unanimously republican and large gains were made in the House. Complete returns from all the towns in the State give Dillingham, republican, for governor, 46,880; Shurleff, dem., 19,426; Seeley, prohibitionist, 1,239 and 6 scattering. Dillingham's plurality is 28,954, and his majority overall is 27,659. This is the largest republican majority ever given in Vermont.

The City Council of Buffalo, N. Y. in 1882, passed an ordinance appropriating \$300.00 to assist in paying the necessary expenses incurred in decorating the soldier's graves on Decoration day. Mayor Cleveland, the patriot and liberty lover vetoed it for the reason that those who had friend-buried in the cemetery, should pay the expense themselves if they wanted their graves decorated. He is conscientiously and constitutionally opposed to decorating the graves of soldiers, even of the man whom he hired as a substitute and refused and failed to pay, and done worse by allowing to die in an almshouse. No one but a public hangman or secess sympathizer had been guilty of either of these acts;

Last week four democrats were on trial at Shoals Indiana, for the murder of Jackson Burford, a Union soldier, during the rebellion, and it found guilty we trust that they will receive a punishment that is commensurate with the crime. If all who were guilty of murdering Union soldiers; burning property of republicans and war democrats; murdering of enrolling officers; sawing into railroad bridges previous to passage of trains loaded with soldiers, whereby hundreds were killed or maimed and other reasonable practices, were put on trial, the jails of the State would be filled to overflowing, and there would not be a corporal's guard left to vote for Cleveland and reform. The same state of affairs existed in other states, and the families whose protectors were in the army lived in constant fear of their lives being taken as the "buttermilts" were as brutal as they were ignorant. Violations of the same kind in that State by "White Caps" and of the Internal Revenue Laws by illicit distillers, are by citizens of counties that will give the democratic ticket a majority. No wonder their votes.

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The following letter was written by Gen. Richard Taylor, of the Confederate Army, to a Northern friend:

"We made two great mistakes.

"Had we avoided them we should have

conquered you. The first was, that

we did not substantially destroy the protective features of the tariff

in the winter session of 1867 and 1868.

"In an act which provided a rapid

scale of free trade. * * *

"We should have passed such a law and

held it tight on you till it closed the

furnaces, woolen and cotton mills and

steel and bar-iron works of the whole

North and West, and scattered your

workmen over the prairies and ter-

ritories. When the war was ready for

you, you would not have been ready

for the war. You could not have

armed and equipped and put into the

field a large army, nor built a large

navy. You would have been without

supplies, machinery and workmen,

and you would have been without

money and credit."

Other articles in this number are a continuation of the Life of Lincoln; George Kennan on "Exile by Administrative Process"; and A. C. Gordon on "Hard times in Confederacy."

The ex-Confederate Colston

writes freely and reconstructively of

"Gettysburg Twenty-five Years After."

Minister Romero explains his relations with General Grant during the time of Grant's failure; and John Banvard and General Fremont tell about "The Canal at Island No. 10."

The stories and sketches of the number are a continuation of Mr. Janvier's "A Mexican Campaign," an illustrated story by James Lane Allen.

The poetry of the number is by Bliss Carman, Eugene Ashton, Walt Whitman, John Vance Cheney, Wm. H. Hayne and in "Brie-a-Brae" by Helen Gray Cone, W. J. Henderson, Frank Dempster Sherman and Annie D. Hawks.

When General Grant was president he appointed his son to a cadetship at West Point, and had his brother-in-law who was an officer in the regular army assigned to duty in Washington, and every democratic paper in the country cried out "nepotism." Senator Vance of North Carolina has 27 members of his family or connexions occupying positions in Washington and you never hear a whisper about "nepotism" from their organs. In the U. S. Land Office at this place there are three brothers employed, and for all that we know attend to the business just as well as it could be done by others, but it looks as if a "public office" was, in this case, a "family trust," and the Democrat has not raised a single howl.

A Woman's Discovery.

"Another wonderful discovery has been made and that too by a lady in this county. Disease fastened its clutch upon her for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of Dr. King's new Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking the first dose that she slept all night and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus writes W. C. Hamrick & Co. of Shelby, N. C. Get a free trial bottle at Dr. N. H. TRAVER'S Drug Store.

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I. C. HANSON, Local Editor.
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Raw feed, No. 1, per ton, \$22.00,

Bran, per ton, \$19.00,

May flour, roller, bushel, per barrel, \$5.75,

May flour, roller, bushel, per barrel, \$5.45,

Gold Dust flour, per barrel, \$9.30,

Woolsthorpe flour, per barrel, \$4.10,

Extra mesht, per barrel, \$4.00,

Mess pork, per bushel, \$16.75,

Refined lard, per pound, 11cts.

Refined butter, per pound, 16cts.

Breakfast bacon, per pound, 15cts.

Cutter neck sides, per pound, 11cts.

Pork hams, per pound, 6cts.

Creamery butter, per pound, 25c Dairy 20c.

Fresh eggs, per dozen, 29cts.

O. G. Jays, ground, per pound, 35cts.

Mocha ground, per pound, 35cts.

B. G. & Co's Mexican coffee, per lb., 25cts.

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Sugar, extra Cr., per pound, 9cts.

Sugar, granulated, per pound, 9cts.

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